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System and Method for Recommending Items to a User Based on

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated <u>March 2, 2007</u>, the Applicant hereby requests amendment of the above-identified application as follows: